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Town Topics.

Editor E. B. Cooper spent a few days in Richmond week before last.

Dr. Jas. T. Walker has moved to Le Droit Park, cor. 6th and Spruce.

Mrs. M. P. Marshall of California is the guest of Mrs. Curtis, Freedmen's Hospital.

Mr. Alfred E. Robinson of 1713 19th street has been confined to his bed for a fortnight.

Old Ark Lodge will celebrate its silver anniversary, December 20. Dr. J. T. Walker will be master of ceremonies. It will be a swell affair.

Mr. W. S. Duffield, late of the Census Office has been tendered and will probably accept, a place in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

Mr. F. M. Lenze of Kansas City, Mo., who is valet to the wealthy Mr. B. M. Winchell, making a trip in his private car, was in town last week.

Miss E. B. Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jackson of 2013 M st. has been detained at home from school owing to illness. A large circle of friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Agents knowing themselves to be in arrears for the paper should send in their remittance at once. This also applies to our delinquent subscribers, some of whom are as deaf to our appeals for settlements as a rock is to reason.

Prof. Thomas J. Calloway, who had charge of the American Negro Exhibit at the Paris Exposition, has returned to this country. His wife and little daughters preceded him by a few months. Mr. Calloway will have charge of the Negro department of the South Carolina and West Indian Exposition which will begin in 1901.

What more acceptable and appropriate Xmas or New Years gift could you make a friend, relative or acquaintance than a years subscription to The Colored American, one of the leading colored journals of the United States? It keeps one thoroughly posted on the race's doings and achievements and would be a source of pleasure, enjoyment and profit for 52 weeks at a cost of only \$2.00.

Few, if any, of the spellbinders who took part in the last campaign made more friends or became more popular than did Recorder H. P. Cheatham of this city. So great is Mr. Cheatham's reputation as an orator that he was in constant demand during Thanksgiving and since that time, and has spoken at a large number of churches and entertainments and is greeted everywhere with large and enthusiastic audiences.

The Odd Fellows Lyceum, at Odd Fellows Hall on M street between 16th and 17th st. n. w., is attracting much attention by its Sunday afternoon meetings. A special open session was held last Sunday afternoon and the subject, "The Light of Odd Fellowship" was discussed again. Some of the brightest men in the order discussed the question and the lyceum is open to the public so that the general public may take part.

Mrs. Lizzie Washington of 1617 10th street, n. w. gave a dinner in honor of some friends on Sunday December 2d. Among those present were: Messrs. P. H. Allen, Selma, Ala., R. Boyton Jackson, New York City; T. Grimke Freeland, Baltimore, Md., D. Carl Moon, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Lewis Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bolling, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dangerfield, Mr. Moses S. Gordon, Mrs. Emma J. Lacey and Miss Persis Jordon.

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It is the curse of Spiritualism that in all large cities there are a class of men and women who claim powers they do not possess. They have neither gifts, credentials, nor references. Surely the colored people are not so wanting in sense as to throw their time and money away on such. Dr. Shea refers to the Hon. Charles Miller, capitalist, 2481 Atlantic avenue; the Hon. William Denmore, architect and builder, 47 Cleveland avenue, and Mr. Arthur Sewell, ship builder South Brooklyn. All have known him for the past ten years. He gives a free test of his power to all. The doctor has practiced five years in New Orleans, St. Louis, Memphis and Louisville, understands thoroughly the diseases, spells or influences the race is subject to. He has now and always had large patronage from them.

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Brooklyn, August 15, 1891—This letter is to certify that I came to New York from Albany. I was a stranger in a strange city, out of work and out of money. I had no luck in anything I undertook. What to do I did not know. A friend advised me to go and see Dr. Shea. I did. He told me the cause of my troubles; he took me in and treated me as a brother. Through him I got a good position that very week. I had been to others, they took my money and did me no good. I bless the day I first met Dr. Shea. I would advise all in bad luck, sick or in trouble to go to him at once.

Sincerely,
Albert Ayers,
2937 Atlantic Avenue.

Brooklyn, August 15, 1891—This letter is to certify that my husband had gone away and had been absent two years. I mourned for him night and day. I gave him up as dead. Hearing of the wonderful things Dr. Shea was doing I resolved to consult him. He told me that my husband was alive and well and where he was; told me he would come home and when. To my joy all of it came true. He is home now, came back like one from the dead. I also wish to say that this month I lost \$250. I am a poor woman and I was almost insane. I went to Dr. Shea and he told me I would find my money and to my intense joy I find it as he told me. I thank God there is a man so gifted in our midst, that can help people and tell them what to do.

Mrs. Mary Miller,
South Plainfield, N. J.

A SENSATION IN BROOKLYN—MINISTER'S STATEMENT

I wish to state that one of my parishioners was sick and in trouble for a long time, Mrs. Brown, 37 Gay street. No one seemed to understand her case. She had several doctors but none of them seemed to know what was the matter. None could do her any good. It was my duty as her pastor to call and see her. Hearing of the wonderful work being done by Dr. Shea the last few years, I thought I would call and see him myself. I found him a sympathetic gentleman. He gave me a wonderful test of his powers, told me to send him a lock of patient's hair, which I did by her daughter. He told at once what was the matter, and in a short time cured her and well. Her family had seemingly been under a cloud. Now all is changed. All are well and prosperous. I can truly and heartily recommend Dr. Shea, to all those in sickness or distress of any kind. Rev. William Johnson, pastor Lebanon church, Brooklyn.

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